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From where I sit ... *by* Joe Marsh

Slim And His "Ali Species"

Slim Baker, who's always doing something crazy, had a lot of people smiling last week because his entry won a ribbon in the Women's Club Annual Pet Show.

Seems as though Slim saw a strange-colored alley cat with no tail over at Central City and brought it home. He washed, combed, and brushed it and put a collar on it with a card reading "Ali Species." Then he enters it in the show.

Hanged if the ladies didn't think it was some rare kind of cat and gave it a special award! When one of them asked Slim where she could get one like it, he said, "It's all yours, M'am—I can get an *Alley Cat* anytime I want!"

From where I sit, some of us are pretty easily "taken in" just because someone else says it's so. Whether it's awarding prizes or passing judgment on a person's right to enjoy a temperate glass of beer—let's take a good look from stem to stern, and learn what it's all about before making up our minds.

Joe Marsh

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Pamplin RFD 1

Pamplin, Va., R. F. D. 1, March 28.- A group of the young folks, accompanied by Mrs. E. C. Baldwin drove to Natural Bridge on Sunday morning to attend the Easter sunrise services there.

Mrs. M. P. Welsh is recovering from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Dickerson spent the week-end in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Clifton visited relatives at Red House on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Peters, of Richmond spent the Easter holidays with relatives here.

Miss Barbara Meadows was a visitor in Farmville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ranson and children spent Saturday in Lynchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Arrington and son, Roy were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Sizemore for the week-end.

Misses Virginia Richardson and Ruth Arrington, of Farmville, and Nona Meadows, of Lynchburg spent Easter at their homes here.

Mrs. Annie Meadows returned home Saturday, after several weeks stay with relatives in Washington, Harrisonburg and Washington. Visiting in her home for the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meadows, of Richmond; Mrs. Edna Phelps and daughter, Joan, and Misses Geneva and Barbara Garrett, all of Spout Spring, and James Arrington and little son, Marvin, of Red House.

D. S. Arrington spent Sunday with his mother, who is ill of pneumonia at Red House.

Evergreen

Evergreen, March 27.- J. L. Evans spent last Sunday in Catawba with his wife.

Mrs. Rosa Thompson of Lynchburg called to see her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Glover Sunday, who are sick at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gibson and son, Charlie, of Washington, D. C., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Warriner.

Mrs. Howard Glover and girls spent Saturday in Farmville. Mrs. Glover also attended the shower given at Mrs. D. O. Slagle's, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. George Ray Baldwin Saturday night.

Mrs. Sam Jennings spent several days last week with her son and family in Christiansburg.

Mrs. Emma Evans has returned home from the hospital. She continues ill.

A. B. Ferguson is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Reynolds.

Mrs. Juddie Glover and daughters, Elnora and Bessie Ann, and Clifford Finchum called to see Mr. and Mrs. Austin Finchum Sunday afternoon at Prospect.

Bob Harris, who is a student in college in West Virginia spent the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harris.

Jack Hodge spent last Sunday visiting relatives in Prospect.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith and son, Freddie, of Alexandria are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warriner.

Jay Stewart, who has been going to V. P. I. spent the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Stewart.

Mrs. Wilson Paulette and son, Gene, of Appomattox spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Staples.

Mrs. Staples is sick at this writing. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Julian Glover, of Crewe called to see his parents Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Austin are the proud parents of a set of twin girls, born Friday night. They are named Brenda Joy.e and Lindy Lois.

Evergreen, Va., March 27. W. M. U. met in the home of Mrs. Z. E. Cheatham Wednesday night with 20 present. Mrs. Cheatham had charge of the program.

E. C. Calhoun, of Baltimore spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Paulette.

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Farrar, of Roanoke spent a few days at their Lome here last week.

The P.-T. A. meeting was held Tuesday night. J. A. Burke gave a talk on the school program.

J. R. Conner, of Lynchburg was at his home here Saturday.

Dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Ferguson, at Forest were Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Paulette and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Franklin and children.

Carver High School

Hello Readers. Easter vacation was very enjoyable as reported by students, teachers, and principal.

Home for the holidays were our college students: Steve Russell, from St. Paul Polytechnic; from Virginia State Leon Lawing, Curtis Marshall, Deaster Johnson. They all look well and report studies keep them busy. Steve had to report back for his physical for the Army on Friday.

Also in Appomattox for the holidays were Mrs. Mozella Price's sister, Miss Elizabeth Jordan, English Instructor at Dunbar High, Lynchburg, who spent the vacation with her, and Miss LaVon Haskins, Art Teacher in Richmond Public schools.

The photographer was at Carver on Tuesday, taking pictures for the printed edition of the Carver Herald. The Seniors are working quite hard to make this issue an outstanding one.

The Seniors' invitations are here and really in ample time for the great event—graduation.

The "Miss Carver" contest was won by Lelia Moses, Senior. Competition was very keen. She will go to Virginia State on April 21 to the Science Congress, which was first prize award. Second prize was won by Claude Lambert of the 9th grade. He lost by a very narrow margin, and was on the verge of being crowned "Mr. Carver." He won a brief case.

Third prize was won by Margaret Madison, of the 11th grade. The students deserve credit for their interest in the contest, which is for the benefit of the new school.

Tenth grade boys being chosen to participate in the basketball tournament are- Eugene Harris, Harrison Kelso, Otheaphus Johnson, Donald Hart and Pleas Patterson.

Tenth grade girls in Home Economics are starting on their cooking unit this week. Delicious meals are being planned.

Mary Evans visited her mother in Roanoke for the Easter holiday.

Brutus' and Anthony's soliloquys are being learned from the tragedy "Julius Caesar," in English 10.

The ninth grade agriculture boys are progressing rapidly on the hen house they are building.

The 11th grade reports they are completing plans for the grand Junior-Senior Prom they are going to give the Seniors. A band is to be engaged for the occasion.

This is all the news for this week, and our closing thought:

"As soon as classes have been abolished, and the dictatorship of the proletariat has been done away with, the Communist party will have fulfilled its mission and can be allowed to disappear."—Joseph Stalin. But, we like our Democratic way of living, Mr. Stalin.

Colored Dots

A large crowd attended Easter services at the First Baptist Church Sunday morning. The pastor delivered an Easter sermon and the choir rendered Easter music.

Impressive Easter services were held at the Promise Land Baptist Church last Sunday.

A large crowd attended the Carver P.-T. A. at a special call meeting last Tuesday evening. Mrs. Lucy Stevens was elected treasurer, and plans were discussed for expanded activities.

The Rev. C. A. Marshall has accepted the call as pastor of the Long Mountain Baptist Church. He has been serving the church for the last several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stevens, of Baltimore spent the holiday here.

Rev. and Mrs. R. J. Lawing and family spent Monday in Petersburg with relatives and friends.

Miss LaVaughan Haskin, of Richmond spent the holiday here as the guest of her mother, Mrs. N. R. Jordan.

Many friends attended the birthday party of Miss Mable Eames and Miss Loraine Fleshman on Monday night at the home of Miss Fleshman. The party was given by Mrs. Nannie Bell Jennings.

Miss Verona Hurtt, of Washington spent the week-end with Mrs. Edith Moorman.

COLORED DOTS

On the first Sunday in April at 2:00 P. M., the Kings of Harmony will render a program at the Jordan Baptist Church, and on the same date at 8:00 P. M., Rev. H. H. Cabell will preach and his Mt. Airy Choir will sing. All invited.

Cub Creek

Cub Creek, March 27.- Mrs. Cawthorn spent the week-end with her grandmother, Mrs. Jr., son, in Nelson County.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton family called in the home Gleason's sister, Mrs. thorn Monday night.

Mrs. R. J. Paulette visitor in the same home night.

Pvt. John S. Cawthon U. S. A. F., is now stationed Air Base in Michigan.

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Record

Record, Va., Route 2, March 23.- Mrs. E. Hughes and little son, Jr., returned home Saturday from the Virginia Baptist Hospital.

Mrs Betsy and Bertha Wheeler Coleman, Miss Milland Mann and Barksdale Spiggle were the Tuesday evening guests of Mrs. T. P. Robertson and daughter, Florence.

Ben Megginson is a patient in Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Garrett Jr. and son, Ralph Allen, of Baltimore, M ; Mrs. T. P. Robertson and daughter, Florence were the dinner guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Garrett.

Mrs. Johnny Carnefix visited in Crewe Sunday.

Walker Beale and Tommy Harvey were in Lynchburg Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Garrett, Jr., of Baltimore have motored home after a week-s vacation here.

Friends are sorry to hear that Ernest Robertson is ill in a hospital in Newport News.

Vera

Vera, March 24.- We are really glad that spring is here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Kanipe, of Baltimore, Md., spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Garrett, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Garrett, Jr., and son spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Garrett, Sr., and Mrs. T. P. Robertson. They also motored to North Carolina while here.

Miss Ellen Carter spent Tuesday night with Miss Wanda Chernault.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bailey spent Monday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Chernault.

Harold Bennett Garrett motored to South Carolina.

Spout Spring

Spout Spring, March 27.- Mrs. William Goodman, Mrs. H. C. Almond and Mrs. Norman Ferguson are on the sick list at this writing.

The young people of the Spout Spring Baptist Church presented an interesting Easter program Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Pillow and daughter spent Sunday at Buggs Island.

Locust Grove

Locust Grove, March 24.- Misses Liz and Eulalia Robertson were the Sunday evening guests of Miss Florence Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Coleman, Billy Coleman, Miss Milland Mann and Barksdale Spiggle were the Tuesday evening guests of Mrs. T. P. Robertson and daughter, Florence.

Mr. and Mrs. George Carson and children spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. W. J. Walton.

Dick Martin, of the U. S. Navy, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Martin Sunday. He is stationed at Norfolk.

Miss Clarkie Cheatham and brother, Aubrey visited her sister, Mrs. Lula Howerton Sunday.

Harry Cheatham and family, of Bluefield, W. Va. are spending this week at their country home near here.

EVERGREEN P.-T. A.

The Evergreen P.-T. A. held its regular meeting Tuesday night, the 20th. Mrs. Z. E. Cheatham read the Scripture. Henry Staples led in prayer. Superintendent J. A. Burke gave us an interesting talk. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held April 17.

—Reporter: Louise Farrar.

BUY NOW IS ADVICE TO CATTLEMEN

Breeders of purebred, registered bulls in Virginia will send almost all their available animals to market this spring, and farmers who want bulls are advised to buy them soon.

Curtis Mast, associate animal husbandman at V. P. I., says some 145 purebred bulls will be sold at spring sales, and that few will be available thereafter for some time.

There has been a 20 per cent. jump in beef cow numbers during the past year in Virginia, but with no attendant increase in the number of available bulls. Beef cow numbers are expected to keep on going up, and the bull shortage may become acute, he says.

About 15 Hereford bulls will be sold at South Boston, this week; 25 Hereford and Angus bulls will be sold at Wytheville, April 3; and 15 bulls of all breeds will be sold at the Front Royal experiment station, April 11. The Front Royal sale will, for the first time in Virginia, market bulls with available records on rate of gain, feed consumption, ets. The animals will be from the station's experimental herd.

A tri-state breeding cattle sale, at which females as well as bulls will be sold, is scheduled in Bristol, April 30, when about 28 Hereford bulls will be sold. The Virginia Aberdeen Angus Breeders' Association will sponsor breeding cattle sales in: Orange, April 9; Fredericksburg, April 21, and Staunton, April 30.

MacArthur says troops may cross the 38th parallel.

More than a million Virginians estimated to have attended Easter church services last Sunday.

Top U. S. scientists doubt that Argentina has atom bomb.

Truman returns to Washington, after vacation at Key West.

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